ABSTRACT

Methods of treating one or more conditions associated with p38 kinase activity are disclosed comprising administering to a patient in need thereof at least one compound having the formula (I):

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$$R_{3}$$
 R_{2}
 R_{1}
 R_{2}
 R_{3}
 R_{4}
 R_{5}
 R_{5}
 R_{6}
 R_{1}
 R_{6}
 R_{1}
 R_{1}

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, prodrug, or solvate thereof, wherein R₃ is hydrogen, methyl, perfluoromethyl, methoxy, halogen, cyano, or NH₂, preferably methyl, and X, R₁ through R₆, and Z are as described in the specification.

Advantageously the groups -ZR₄R₅ taken together comprise an -NH-substituted aryl.